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In re Patent Application of ) **Mail Stop AMENDMENT**  
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For: BIOCOMPATIBLE BONE IMPLANT )  
COMPOSITIONS AND METHODS )  
FOR REPAIRING A BONE DEFECT )

**REQUEST FOR RECONSIDERATION**

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Sir:

In response to the Official Action dated May 10, 2011, please consider the following remarks.